

IDEA APPROPRIATIONS

PART B GRANTS TO STATES

Fiscal Year	Funding Level	Yearly Change*	% of per-pupil expenditure
'88	\$1.43 billion	7.0%	8.7%
'89	\$1.48 billion	3.1%	8.2%
'90	\$1.54 billion	4.6%	7.9%
'91	\$1.85 billion	20.2%	8.6%
'92	\$1.98 billion	6.6%	8.4%
'93	\$2.05 billion	3.9%	8.2%
'94	\$2.15 billion	4.7%	8.0%
'95	\$2.32 billion	8.1%	7.8%
'96	\$2.32 billion	0.0%	7.3%
'97	\$3.11 billion	33.7%	9.2%
'98	\$3.80 billion	22.3%	10.5%
'99	\$4.30 billion	13.2%	11.1%
'00	\$4.99 billion	16.0%	12.0%
'01	\$6.34 billion	27.1%	14.6%
'02	\$7.53 billion	18.8%	16.5%
'03	\$8.87 billion	17.8%	17.6%
'04**	\$11.1 billion	24.8%	21%

Democrat Majority

Average Yr.
Increase
'88 – '95
7.3%

Total
Spending
'88 – '95
\$14.80 billion

62.2%

Overall funding increase

Republican Majority

Average Yr.
Increase
'96 – '03
18.6%

Total
Spending
'96 – '03
\$41.26 billion

282.3%

Overall funding increase

*Yearly change based on actual appropriations

**FY2004 Budget Resolution

Source: Congressional Research Service